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E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: MARR, JA,KS OVIP (SCHLESINGER,JAMES)

SUBJ: VISIT OF SECDEF TO JAPAN

SEOUL PLEASE PASS SECDEF PARTY FOR ABRAMOWITZ

SECDEF FOR OSD

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REFS: A) TOKYO 11603 DTG 200550Z AUG 75

B. TOKYO 11839 DTG 250945Z AUG 75

1. FONOFF HAS JUST PASSED US LATEST VERSION OF AGENDA FOR  
SECRETARY SCHLESINGER TALKS WITH FOREIGN MINISTER MIYAZAWA AUGUST 29.  
THIS VERSION HAS BEEN REVIEWED BY SENIOR STAFF WITHIN  
MINISTRY BUT HAS NOT YET RECEIVED PERSONAL ATTENTION FROM MIYAZAWA  
HIMSELF. FONOFF DRATING OFFICERS EMPHASIZE THAT INDICATIONS OF  
MIYAZAWA INTEREST ARE TENTATIVE AND SUBJEC TO MINISTER'S INPUT DURING  
INFORMAL DISCUSSION SESSION. THIS VERSION IS,  
HOWEVER, MOST COMPLETE YET AND REF A, PARA 3 SHOULD  
BE AMENDED ACCORDINTLY:

I. DISCUSSION OF U.S. COMMITMENTS IN RELATION TO:

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A. U.S. MILITARY POLICY TOWARD ASIA IN POST-VIETNAM PERIOD.

B. SITUATION ON THE KOREAN PENINSULA: SECRETARY SCHLESINGER'S ASSESSMENT: U.S. AND ROK VIEWS OF U.S. COMMITMENT: ATTITUDE OF U.S. CONGRESS, AND IMPLICATIONS OF WAR POWERS ACT.

C. USE OF TACTICAL NUCLEAR WEAPONS IN DEFENSE OF ROK AND U.S. INTENTIONS, WITH REFERENCE TO SECRETARY SCHLESINGER'S RECENT STATEMENTS ON SUBJECT.

D. FOREIGN MINISTER MIYAZAWA'S VIEW OF JAPANESE RELATIONS WITH KOREA IN CONTEXT OF U.S.-JAPAN SECURITY TREATY (SO-CALLED KOREAN CLAUSE).

E. FUTURE OF USMC OKINAWA DEPLOYMENT IN CONTEXT OF SECRETARY SCHLESINGER'S REMARKS AT JULY 1 PRESS CONFERENCE.

II. U.S. POLICY TOWARD MILITARY PRESENCE IN TAIWAN, PHILIPPINES AND THAILAND.

2. EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED WORD THAT NDC SECRETARIAT DIRECTOR UTSUMI, WITH WHOM ABRAMOWITZ MET ON LAST TRIP TO TOKYO, AND NOMURA INSTITUTE HEAD SAEKI WOULD LIKE TO SEE ABRAMOWITZ DURING SECDEF VISIT. SHOULD EMBASSY ATTEMPT SET UP SATURDAY A.M. OF AUG 30 BEFORE JDA MEETING (REF B) OR SATURDAY AFTERNOON? IN REGARD TO MEETINGS PROPOSED FOR ZURHELLEN AND ABRAMOWITZ (REF B), FONOFF PRESSING EMBASSY FOR RESPONSE ASAP.  
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